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SUBJECT: CODEL CLARK

REF: LOURENCO MARQUES 905

1. AS TWO MEMBERS CODEL STILL WAIT-LISTED FOR RETURN FLIGHT FROM LIVINGSTONE

STONE SUNDAY, AUGUST 25, WE NOW BELIEVE IT PREFERABLE FOR CODEL VISIT LIVINGSTONE BY CHARTER AIRCRAFT. WHILE COST OF CHARTER ABOUT DOUBLE THAT OF COMMERCIAL AIR TRAVEL, CHARTER FLIGHT WILL GIVE CODEL INCREASED

FLEXIBILITY AND ASSURE ALL MEMBERS CODEL CAN MAKE ROUND TRIP. ACCORDINGLY, UNLESS CODEL ADVISES US TO CONTRARY BY 1400Z RPT 1400Z TODAY, WE WILL CANCEL COMMERCIAL FLIGHT RESERVATIONS AND CONFIRM CHARTER FLIGHT.

2. STILL AWAITING FROM STATE HOUSE DATE AND HOUR OF CONFIRMED MEETING WITH PRESIDENT. AMBASSADOR HAS INVITED MARK CHONA TO HAVE INFORMAL SUPPER WITH CODEL AT HER RESIDENCE EITHER SATURDAY OR SUNDAY NIGHT BUT

THIS AS YET UNCONFIRMED. POSSIBLE THAT CHONA WILL GO TO LIVINGSTONE WITH ANC DELEGATION ON SATURDAY AT 1600 HOURS IN WHICH CASE CODEL MAY BE ABLE MEET HIM THERE ON SUNDAY. VERNON MWAANGA NO LONGER INVOLVED IN FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND CIRCUMSTANCES OF HIS TRANSFER

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TO CENTRAL COMMITTEE MAKE IT UNLIKELY HE WILLING OR ABLE SPEAK ON

SOUTHERN AFRICAN MATTERS. PER PARA 2 REFTEL, WILL HOLD OFF SCHEDULING ANY APPOINTMENTS WITH MAINZA CHONA OR TREVOR COOMBE UNTIL AFTER CODEL ARRIVES AND SCHEDULE BECOMES CLEARER.

3. HAVE YET TO HEAR FROM UNITA ABOUT POSSIBLE MEETING WITH SAVIMBI IN LUSAKA. JORGE SANGUMBA DID NOT CALL US YESTERDAY AS EXPECTED AND MAY STILL BE IN ANGOLA.

4. FOLLOWING ARE ADDITIONS/REVISIONS TO TENTATIVE SCHEDULE PROVIDED PARA 1 LUSAKA 1573:

AUGUST 23-INFORMAL EMBASSY BRIEFING FOR CODEL AT RESIDENCE BEGINNING ABOUT 1630 HOURS.

DRINKS AT RESIDENCE WITH UK HIGH COMMISSION OFFICER ABOUT 1730 (TO BE CONFIRMED). THIS WILL PROVIDE CODEL OPPORTUNITY OBTAIN BRITISH VIEWS ON RHODESIAN TALKS AND ON UK ROLE THEREIN. MEETING WITH SWAPO PRESIDENT SAM NUJOMA AT RIDGEWAY HOTEL AT 1900 HOURS. INFORMAL SUPPER AT AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE WITH MARK CHONA (TO BE CONFIRMED).

AUGUST 24-DEPARTURE BY CHARTERED BEECHCRAFT BARON AIRCRAFT FOR LIVINGSTONE. DEPARTURE HOUR TENTATIVELY SET FOR 0730 BUT CAN BE MOVED BACK IF CODEL PREFERENCES. FLIGHT TIME TO LIVINGSTONE IS ONE HOUR FIFTEEN MINUTES.

MEETINGS IN LIVINGSTONE WITH MUZOREWA, GABELLAH, SITHOLE, AND OTHER ANC LEADERS. RETURN TO LUSAKA VIA CHARTERED AIRCRAFT. NOTE: CHARTER IS FOR MAXIMUM RPT MAXIMUM PERIOD OF ELEVEN HOURS INCLUDING FLYING TIME. EVENING FREE (UNLESS SUPPER WITH MARK CHONA IS RESCHEDULED FROM SATURDAY NIGHT).

AUGUST 25-FOLLOWING MEETINGS CONFIRMED RPT CONFIRMED: MRS. LILY MONZE, MINISTER OF STATE FOR PLANNING AND FINANCE AT 0930 DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE HAMAAMBA AT 1130 REUBEN KAMANGA AT 1430 HUMPHREY MULEMBA AT 1530
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ACTING FOREIGN MINISTER PAUL LUSAKA AT 1600 OLIVER TAMBO (IF IN TOWN) AND ALBERT NZO OF SOUTH AFRICAN ANC AT 1800

AUGUST 26-NO CHANGE
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